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Filed: December 22, 2000	)	
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For: METALLIC MIRROR, METALLIC	)	
ROTARY POLYGONAL MIRROR,	:	
AND PROCESS FOR THEIR	)	
PRODUCTION	:	
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U.S. Patent No.: 6,916,101 B2	)	
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Issued: July 12, 2005	)	March 21, 2006

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.183  
TO CORRECT ASSIGNEE INFORMATION

Sir:

The undersigned, on behalf of Patentees, respectfully requests the Commissioner to suspend the rules to permit the correct Assignee of the above-identified patent to be printed on the cover page of U.S. Patent No. 6,916,101 B2. A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed to cover the petition fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h).

FACTS

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1. Applicants, now Patentees, received of a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due, bearing a mailing date of December 15, 2004.

2. Patentees had assigned the subject application to Canon Denshi Kabushiki Kaisha, 1248, Ohaza Shimokagemori, Chichibu-shi, Saitama-ken, Japan.

3. Patentees' attorney submitted a completed Form PTO-1595 on April 6, 2001 (copy attached), but inadvertently provided the name and address of another Canon corporation as Assignee, Canon Kabushiki Kaisha, 30-2, 3-chome, Shimomaruko, Ohta-ku, Tokyo, Japan. This information was recorded on Reel 011679/Frame 0379 (copy attached).

4. Patentees' undersigned attorney is filing concurrently herewith a Certificate of Correction and Request for Reprinted Cover Page of Letters Patent for the subject patent, requesting insertion of the Assignee and reprinting of the cover page of the Letters Patent.

#### RELIEF REQUESTED

The Commissioner is respectfully requested to waive 37 C.F.R. § 3.81(a) and permit the name and address of the correct Assignee to be inserted after issuance of the patent, by granting the request for Certificate of Correction and reprinting the cover page of the Letters Patent to correct the Assignees' information. The failure to include the proper information on the Form PTO-1595 was inadvertent and its correction is within the interests of justice. The undersigned believes this Petition is in compliance with the requirements set forth in M.P.E.P. §§ 307 and 1481.


#### CONCLUSION

Favorable consideration hereof is respectfully solicited.

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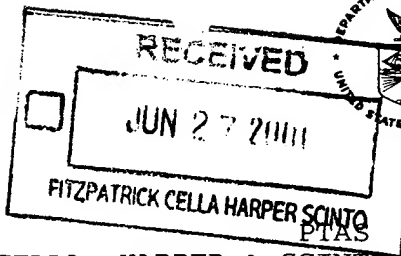
Patentees' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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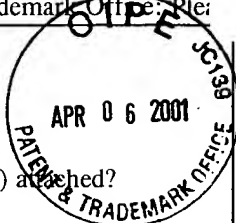
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its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest, for  
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and described in an application for Letters Patent of the United States filed by us on December 22, 2000  
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and in and to said application, and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United  
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